DR. MACDONALD REPLIES TO CRITICISM. ENVESTIGATION OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE-THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE ASYLUM ON WARD'S ISLAND DEFENDS THE MANAGEMENT OF IT-THE ASSERTIONS OF DRS. HAMMOND AND SPITZKA DECLARED TO BE TOO THEORETICAL AND NOT BASED ON PACTS-OTHER TESTIMONY.

The inquiry of the Senate Committee in regard to asylum management in this State was enlivened yesterday by a spirited reply on the part of Dr. A. E. Macdonald, Superintendent of the Ward's Island Asylum, to the criticisms of Drs. Hammond, Spitzka and Seguin in regard to that institution. Many Important statements made by them were denied plumply, and the reason suggested to account for such testimony as they had offered was their ignorance of the workings of the asylum. Dr. Spitzka, be said, was a disappointed applicant for place; and Dr. Hammond, in one of his books, had made the statement that the asylums in this country were superior to those of Europe. A night nurse who testified said that when he went to the a-ylum, eight years ago, and talked of using kindness loward the patients, the attendants " set a big lunatic " on him to test his theory.

THE SENATE INQUIRY.

The room in which the Senate Committee on Asylum Reform met at the Metropolitan Hotel ves-terday was crowded at 11 a. m. by subordinate officers of the Ward's Island Asylum, who expected to testify in regard to the institutions. Dr Macdonald, the su-permendent of the asylum, said, on taking the stand, that he had filled that position for over six years, and that he had received his appointment from the Commissioners of Charities and Correction. He had eight asgard to appointments, he made nominations for the posistant physicians and ninety-four attendants. In resition of assistant physician. The Consulting Board had an examining committee which certified to the Com-missioners the results of the examinations. The witness also examined applicants for the position of attendant. The Commissioners did not overrule his opinions in regard to appointments. He had never made a nomination that had not been confirmed. rule his opinions in regard to appointments. He had never made a nomination that had not been confirmed. Sometimes, it was true, the Commissioners, having personal knowledge of the qualifications of a candidate, would suggest his name for app interent. Within the last six years the character of the attendants had improved; their salaries, however, should be larger. Attendants received \$18 a month with board. This could be raised to \$20 in three months if their services warranted the Advance. The mechanies received wares that were as high as \$35 a month in some instances, while those who did the more ardious work in the hospital were paid \$25 a month. The average time that attendants remained in the asylum was one year, as they were men who held the position only until something oetter turned up.

The superintendent's salary was \$2,450 per annum with no perquisites. The assistant physicians in the asylum who were within three months of graduation, but there had been none of that class there in the last two years. There were not provide that the built shall provide that the built shall provide that the confinement of a prisoner me will process be in a standard; the actual confinement of a longer period than \$2 month. It is also recomined that the built shall provide that the actual confinement of a longer period than \$2 month. It is also recomined that the built shall provide that the actual confinement of a longer period than \$2 month. It is also recomined that the built shall provide that the actual confinement of a longer period that the hugh the actual to the actual of the actual to the actual to the actual to the control of the fold that the built shall provide that the actual of the actual to state the solution of the fact there will be actually the position only will be provided that the built shall provide that the built shall provide that the actual confinement of a larger months and the sale will be actually provided to the course of the copy that the position of the prison provided to the previous of t never made a nomination that had not been confirmed. Bometimes, it was true, the Commissioners, having per-sonal knowledge of the qualifications of a candidate, would suggest his name for app intment. Within the last six years the character of the attendants had

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Senator Woodin—Would you advocate the holding of a Coroner's inquest in the case of ev. ry parient who dies at the saylum 1.

I always ask for an inquest when there is the sightest reason for it. It would undoubtedly be a hardship for the relatives and friends of dead patients if one were held in every case. We lost 146 patients by death last year. The death-rate is somewhat smaller this

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"When I first went to the asclum about for y patients were employed. Yesteriav 373 actients were employed. Yesteriav 373 actients were employed in various occupa fors. Ab at 200 work on the farm. On of 1,173 patients, 1,137 were out doors yesterday, which is our usual average for a fine day. For each additional attendant ablowed me I can put afteen more patients at work."

"What restreat, if any, is use used in the asylum?"

"At present we have nonody under restraint. I prefer, which necessary, the best and wristless. As for that lurbear, the crib. I had two it one time in the institution; but since January, 1879, they have not been used. In certain cases, when a natient is fractions and beats attendants, for instance, I thank the crib is preferable. I once had a patient who, on seeing the order the ward, caus detect it a special favor it be were allowed to steep in t. I am not a small man, but I can get into the crib, turn over comfortably and move my head."

REPLYING TO CRITICISMS. REPLYING TO CRITICISMS.

Dr. Macdonald then glanced over some newspaper Eptizka and Seguin, and said :

"As to Dr. Hammond's and Dr. Sermin's testimony. I would say that they have not been in the asylum under my charge. Dr. Spitzka was there as an applicant for the position of special parhologist, but I declined to recovered him. He made unstreaseful applications for place in the Bloomingdate, Willard and Mailson and Oshkosa (Wis) Asylums. I deep his statement that I ever requested him to take the chair of special pathologist, in the position of the contrarty, who tried gist. It was Dr. Spitzka on the contrarty, who tried in vail to secure the appointment. His affidant in regart to his relations to the institution I also take excention to so far as any material statement in it is concerned. It is not true that restraint and forcible feeding of patients are imposed in the asylum by attentions without the authority of a physicall's order. How are our rules on the subject, and the procise is as I have stated. I believe restraint should be used as a medicine. A record is kept of the restraint imposed upon parients. The use of the crib has been absundanted mainly on account of popular claimer, in order that the friends of patients in the asylum might not be unnecessarily alarmed. I had temporary camers of the Hisckwell's Island Asylum at the time of the Ottmer horeicide. The nutre was distinctly procedure such defect was cured by the pracipe referred to no statute either by title or by any such the pracipe referred to the statute is in the words "nation from the pracipe referred to the statute such defect was amendable. This clearly is not so, because the pracipe referred to no statute either by title or by any such the pracipe referred to the statute is in the words "nation for a processor of the crib land temporary camers of the Hisckwell's Island Asylum at the time of the other processor and derived the correct and furly that Dr. Spitzka had deliberately

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"Dr. Hammond says, in the matter of appointments, that the Commissioners of Charities and Correction repeated modificious and the name of a certain person per all modificious and the name of a certain person is presented, and then he is appointed. In treard to that, I would say that during my connection with the Department I never had a nomination rejected. I live at the asylam, and sleep there every mate. I see every patient daily. This has always been my practice."

Senter Woodin—In regard to the crim, Dr. Spitzka said he believed it was in me on Ward's Isla d.

"That's the very point. A person who wants to make masections about are true as well as bard. His iestimory given here was full of miss atomests."

"Did you repeatedly press upon Dr. Spitzka the necessity of making application for the position of special pathologists!"

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"I dai not. I seked him what recommendations be had, and he mentioned Dr. Daiton, but failed to bring me a letter from him. The dean of the Medical College of the University of the Chy of New York have sed me to have nothing to do with Spirkk, and said that beiter ask Dea Arnold and Draper about him. He was turned out at the laboratory of cach of these gentlement. turned out at the laboratory of each of chee gentlemen.
Dr. Arnold and his work was clumby and his manner arregant." REPAIRS SOON TO BE FINISHED.

Dr. Macdonald said further that a new wing to the Ward's Island Asylum would be completed in January, and would note 240 patients. It would only partially the Commission is of Emigration was now used for the Commission is of Emigration was now used for the slighter of 345 patients. The man building would had 550 patients comfortably, but it now contained 825, the knowled that proper inspection of any man was already provided for. The medical superlate that, however, had no control of the amount of the salaries of assistant physicians. In January the allowance for all expenses was 37 cents a head, which had occurreduced to 26 cents and a traction, and would probably be reduced lower shill. Dis. Hammond and Seguin he considered "purely theoretical," and he said they had not informed themselves of the matters on worth toey festilled, and mad had no expense at all in asylums. In a book of Dr. Hammond's on insantly, he said the said they say the said the said they were superior to those of Europe. The book was published several years are.

OTHER TESTIMONY. Cyrus Pearsall, supervisor in the Ward's Island Asyhum, said he ord red a patient to be put in a straitlacket some time ago, and reported the fact to the paysician, who ordered it off.

"When I went to the asylum, eight years ago," he said, "it was a perfect slaughter-house. I was more afraid of the ariendants than the patients, and in the morning I would often find men with scalped heads, black eyes and bloody noses. The attenuants were mostly shoulder-hitters. When I talked of using kindle as they would set a big lumstic on me to test my theory."

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Chaties Partonban, night nurse in the hosiptal ward, rain he never knew of any patient dying in a crib. The lids of the crib were removed some time ago and had not been put on again. The superintendent went through the hospital ward once every twenty-four hours. There had been no restraint used in the asylum for three or four months. The experiment had proved

THE WARD'S ISLAND ASYLUM. | were caused by diphtheris, eighty-two by eroup and 262

THE COURTS.

IMPRISONMENT FOR DEBT. PRESENTMENTS OF THE GRAND JURY-THE NEEDED REPAIRS AT THE COURT-HOUSE. The Grand Jarors have made an interesting

presentment in regard to " the growing evils arising out

of the imprisonment of poor debtors in the County
Jail on civil process at the expense of the
County." Heretofore no one has appeared to
take any active steps to correct the abuse, which was
well-known to exist. Very often most unfortunate cases have been brought before the courts, where debtors had been imprisoned fer several years, and the Judges have been unsule to do noything to prevent their return to jail. The sympathy of the Bench might be aroused, but under the laws it would be powerless to afford re-hef. The Grand Jury recommend that the District-Attorney be requested by the Court to draft a bill to be presented to the next Legislature which shall prevent the detention of a prisoner on civil pro-cess "for non-payment of Sheriff's fees, poundage or jail fees, or the arrest of men prisoner under civil process for a longer periot than tifteen days from the time when such prisoner would otherwise be entitled to or receive his discharge," providing he is able to prove that he is unable to pay the fees. The Grand Jury also asks that a bill be drawn up, and its enactment urged upon the Legislature, which shall make section 111 of the Code of Civil Procedure, which now applies only to Kings County, apply as well to this county. This sec tion of the code provides that when the Sheriff has imprisoned a person arrested in a civil proceeding he shall immediately serve notice upon the attorney for the plaintiff that if the plaintiff does not, within three days, pay the Sheriff \$25 for the prisoner's support for twenty days, the prisoner will be discharged. If after not, before the expiration of that time, pay the sheriff another \$25 for the next twenty days the prisoner will be discharged when the first twenty days are up. The Grand Jurors say that their purpose is that the expense of keeping a civil prisoner may be charged upon the creditor who is benefited, rather than upon the county,

which is not. It is also recommended that the bill shall provide that

A QUESTION OF PRACTICE.

Judge Choate has rend red a decision which is of interest to the legal profession as involving a ques-tion of practice in the United States Courts. In Malast Frances A. Brown began a suit against William A Pond and others in the United States District Court to recover penalties under the United States Statute in relation to copyright. The summons was not indersed with any reference to the statute imposes; the penalty, and the practipe directed the clerk to issue summons in an "action for statutory penalty-amount claimed \$2,500." The defendant appeared with amount claimed \$2,500." The defendant appeared with in the proper time and demanded a copy of the complaint, reserving the right to set aside the summons for tregularity or any proper cause. The complaint was filed a month later, and on June 21 the defendant moved for an order setting aside the summons or the complaint on the ground that the complaint did not context. form to the summons. The defendant claimed th there was not indorsed on the summons a reference t chippings containing the testimony of Drs. Hammond, | the statute under which the penalties sued for wer prizka and Seguin, and said:
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complaint in this case was served after time for such service had been extended and that the defendant was first informed of the nature of the claim by the service of an affidavit accompanying an order extending plana off's time to serve his complaint, Judge Chante holds to the same view as in the preceding case and grants the motion to set aside the summons.

SUIT OVER THE ELECTRIC LIGHT. Smt was begun yesterday in the United States Circuit Court by Charles F. Brush and the Brush Electric Company against C. Harrison Condit, Joseph Hanson and Abraham Van Winkle, agents in this city of the Westen Electric Lighting Company, Newark, N. J. The plaintiffs are residents of Cleveland, Ohio, and claim to be the owners of a patent for an improvement in metal-plated excisons for electrical illuminating points. The defendants, it is claimed, have been manufacturing and using " tous prepared; and an injunction is asked for, with at accounting to assess damages.

It was said at the office of the defendants vesterday that the appliance has been known and used by every that the appliance has been known and the dipy every person changed in the electric highling business in the country for years, and that in fact, was common projectly. It is claimed that the plating of the carnon will expend the resistance which the carnon effects to the electric current. The is the invention the patent for which its claimed has been in

A DECISION FAVORABLY RECEIVED. By an error the opinion of Judge Larremore in declaring the divorce obtained by Engabeth A. Barnes against her husband, Welliam R. Barnes, to be collative, was accredited in yesterday TRIBUNE to Justice Lawrence. The opinion has called out much tavorable comment, both because of the out much taverage comment, both because of the strong terms in which Jodge Larremore denounced the "flagrant imposition practised upon the Court" in this instance, but also as it is considered likely to put a check upon the growing and assiming evil of collusive di vorces.

PROPERTY AT CONEY ISLAND IN DISPUTE. An action was begun yesterday in the Kings County Supreme Court on the part of the town of Gravesend against Thomas E. Cable, Dr. Philo T. Jack son and the Coney Island Observatory and Signal Company, to eject them from property on Cuiver Plaza, Co ney Island. The property was condemned by a con mission appointed by the Supreme Court at the instance of the Presceet Park and Coney Island Railroad Com-pany in 1875, for railroad and station purposes, and damages to the amount of \$4,500 were awarded to the owners. The ground of the cut is that the ground has never been used for the purposes nameds

Consolation.—Mrs. Ponsonby de Tomkyns.

Br. Wickes Washburn, formerly assistant physician, baid he had never threatened a patient with a cold bath. He had, however, put a patient in a cold bath with his clothes on.

John Kennedy, steward, said that with twelve additional attendants 150 more men could be employed.

John Buffy, senior night watchman, knew nothing of fortable feeding by attendants.

The committee will meet again to-morrow morning. To-day it expects to make an informal visit to the Ward's Island Asylum.

DEATHS IN CHICAGO DURING NOVEMBER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Of the 762 deaths which escurred in Chicago during November, ninety-four Consolation,-Mrs. Ponsonby de Tomkyns

THE MONEY MARKET.

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CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS. Reported by John H. Davis & Co., No. 17 Walt at

SATURDAY, Dec. 4 .- P. M. The stock market to-day was permitted (and the term "permitted" is used advisedly) to work in unison with the very general existing impression to wir, that with a "let-up" in money the prices of stock would decline. The rather estantations efforts to make the rates for money as low as possible also, were accepted as an indication that the large operators were destrous of a market for the sale of stock, which they had purchased during the recent monetary stringency. The probable truth is, that the arrivals of large sums of Eastern capital having made it no longer possible to hold the rates for money above legal interest, the alternative of using a popular prejudice was accepted as a means of increasing the short interest in stockaby dropping their prices as money was made easter. When money showed the first signs of easing on Wednesday, we remarked that it was only reasonable to expect a feverish and fluctuating market for several days. That was just what to-day's market was, with a final result that prices for nearly all stocks closed lower than they did last night. The daily business is running pretty even, to-day's amounting to 388,400 shares against 386,000 shares yesterday, and 388,600 shares Thursday. There was no special feature in the market, the decline in prices which occurred in the last hour being general and seemingly the result of a combinaton to let the market close weak,

and the desire of small operators to go home even

on stocks over the Sunday holiday. The last figures,

however, were about the lowest of the day, and seemingly the market closed weaker (but not at the prices), than it did on any day when money was

worth 3g per cent. Government bonds were dull with sales at the Boards of only \$12,000. The final bids show advances of 's per cent for the 5s and 4s. The Treasury to-day purchased \$180,000 6s of 1880 at 1027s. Annexed are the closing quotations:

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State bonds were unusually active, including Arkansas 6s, funding act, at 22@21, Alabamas, class A, at 72, Missouri 6s, 1886, at 10912, and 1887 1093, 1888 at 110, and Virginia 6s, consolidated.

Railroad bonds were as feverish as stocks were. Erie second consols advanced to 9734, and ended at 9634. Missouri, Kansas and Texas first consols rose to 11012, and closed at 110, and seconds, after selling up to 7314, closed at 7114, against 7258 yesterday Boston, Hartford and Eric firsts continued active, but declined from 4812@4878 to 4712. C., C. and I. C. first assented were 1 per cent higher, at 10314, and the incomes rose from 55 to 57@5612. Mobile and Ohio first debentures further declined to 85, because of the reasons stated yesterday. Canada Southern firsts were steady at 1004@100, and Metropolitan Elevated firsts rose from 10312 to 104. Oregon Railroad and Navigation advanced to 10634. and Ohio Central firsts to 10134 and incomes to 56. St. Paul consols recovered from 11912 to 12012, and Southern Minnesota Division sold at 10718. Denver and Rio Grande firsts were a shade easier at 10978 but the consols rose from 10714 to 10812, and Kansas Pacific consols rose to 100. Texas and Pacific

Pacific consols rose to 100. Texas and Pacific incomes were irregular but finally closed with an advance of ½ per cent at 72.34, and firsts, Rio Grande Division, rose from 93½ to 94½.

To-day's weekly back statement perhaps might be available as a curiosity in some museum of ancient relies, but as a representative of the condition of the associated banks at the close of business last night it is not worth the cost and trouble of its publication. Every item shows a loss which is sufficiently indicated in the table below, and the reported deficit from the fancy reserve of 25 per cent is \$2.356,200 greater than it was by the report of a week ago. The following are the totals of the statement and changes of the week:

Leans. \$395,701,100 Dec. \$7.823,800 Deposits. \$2.350,200 Reserve \$4.535,000 Dec. 13.304,400 Deposits. \$276,132,700 Dec. 13.304,400 Deposits. \$276,132,700 Dec. 13.304,400 Dec. 10.306,100 Dec. 10.306,100

Cremation 68.771,300 Dec. 8.701,800 Reserve deficit. 2.461,875 Inc. 2.356,250 The Sub-Treasury to-day gamed \$171,803 on balance, made up by a coin gam of \$196,806, less a currency loss of \$25,063. The European steamers arrived since yesterday brought \$164,300 gold. Money to-day was decidedly easy, and, excepting a few early loans at \$164,320 premium, the bulk of the business was done at 6 per cent. The later offers of money down to 2 per cent did not represent the true condition of the market. There are plenty of reasons why money should command 6 per cent for the remainder of the year, but anything beyond that, although perhaps it will be possible for lenders to obtain it, will be as fictitious as were to-day's offers at 2 per cent. The casier money market here has reduced New-York exchange at Boston to par; at all other points it is unchanged. The customs receipts at Washington'to-day amounted to \$407,673, and the internal revenue receipts to \$475,954. The Treasurer received \$125,000 in National bank notes for redemption; the totals of such receipts for the week, compared with the same week of 1879, being as follows:

| New York | 1879, 1880, | 1879, 1880, | 1879, | 1880, | 1879, | 1880, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, | 1879, Philadelphia Miscellaneous Total

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The Treasurer now holds \$360,137,550 in United States bonds to seeme bank circulation. United States bonds deposited for circulation to the week, \$3,833,300; United States bonds deposited for circulation to the week, \$3,833,300; United States bonds held for circulation withdrawn for the week, \$3,332,300. National bank circulation outstanding: Currenev notes, \$342,698,436; gold notes, \$1,141,965. The Clearing House statement to-day is as follows: For the day—Exchanges, \$163,302,626; balances, \$6,871,490; for the week—Exchanges, \$1,155,094,682; balances, \$35,866,866. The transactions at the Sub-Treasury covered; Receipts, \$1,453,055; payments, \$1,281,252; carreney balance, \$4,350,657; com balance, \$77,278,329.

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The foreign exchanges are dull and weak without

The following shows the exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New-York for the week ending November 30 and since the beginning of the

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For the week. \$7,93,710 \$6,020,500 \$7,802,241

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Total since Jan. 1. 521,351,894 322,719,888 376,405,106

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For the week: 1.873,

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General merchandise, 4,707,286 710,006 422,467,

Total since Jan. 1, 260,600,383 313,853,304 443,144,055

The following are the dry goods imports included in the above period: For the week: 1878, 1879, 1839, 1839, 1879, 1839, 1879, 1839, 1879, 1839, 1879, 1839, 1879 The experis of specie from the part of New-York or the week ended December 4 and since the begining of the year were as follows:

Prevagaly reported.... The following is a comparative statement of the exports of specie from the port of New-York to foreign ports for a period of twenty-nine years:

EUROPEAN FINANCIAL MARKETS. LONDON, Dec. 4 - 19,50 p. m. - Combon, 785 p. for money, 993, for the account. New York Central, 149 - Hingos Central, 149 - Prints Ventral, Central, 149 - Hingos Central, 149 prints Ventral, 15 Beading, 275 p. trick 44, 16000N, 160, 4 - 2,50 p. m. - Bar pileer is quoted a large of the combon of the second of

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AMERICAN MINING STOCK EXCHANGE, 63 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK. LEADING BROKERS.

> FRANKLIN ALLEN, 63 Broadway. HENRY M. COWLES, Room 7, 98 Broadway. ORIN C. FROST, Room 43, 115 Broadway. JOHN GRAY. MARK L MCDONALD, G. P. HART,

R. M. MITCHILL, JR., J. R. MULLANY. BOSTON CONSOLIDATED MINING CO.

LOCATION OF MINE: Rodie District, Mono County, Cal. Incorporated unser the laws of California, A. D. 1879.
CAPITAI, \$10,000,000. 100,000 shares... Par value, \$100 OFFICERS:
JUDGE JAMES G. McCLINTON, President;
F. E. LUTY, Secretary. F. E. LUIY, Secreta
MARTIN JONES, Superintendent.
PRINCIPAL OFFICE: 330 Pinest. San Francisco.

DUNKIN MINING COMPANY OF LEADVILLE, COL 200,000 Shares, Par Value, \$25. HENRY H. STOTESBURY, President. T. T. CHOLLAR, Scoretary.

OFFICE: 60 Broad Street.

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AMIE CONSOLIDATED MINING CO. OF LEADVILLE, COLORADO.

Organized under the laws of New-York. Capital stock, \$5,000,000: 500,000 shares; par value \$10 SHARES FULL PAID AND UNASSESSABLE.

REGISTRAR of TRANSFERS, Union Trust Co., N. Y. BUCKEYE WATER and HYDRAULIC

MINING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, San Prancisco, Cali-

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, Canfornia.

Location of works, Trinity County, California.

NOTICE IS HEBRY GIVEN. That at a meeting of the North California of Directors beld on the fourth day of November, 1880, an assessment beld on the fourth day of November, 1880, an assessment is take gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the eleventh day day of December, 1881, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public, 1881, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public, 1881, will be fourth day the teleproper of the conformal of the control of the conformal of the conformal

NEW-YORK, DECEMBER 2, 1880.

THE STANDARD CONSOLIDATED MINING COM-PANY to-day declared its regular monthly dividend of SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS PER SHARE.

Also an EXTRA DIVIDEND OF SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS PER SHARE, both payable on the 13th instant at the Newada Bank, 62 Wall-at. The transfer-books close on the 6th inst. M. R. COOK, Vice-President. ROBINSON CONSOLIDATED MINING CO.

Mines at Ten Mile, Summit Co., Colorado.
Capital \$10,000,000; 20,000 shares: \$50 each.
Geo. D. Roberta, President.
Offices No. 115 Broadway. New York.

STARR-GROVE SILVER MINING CO.,

W. B. WELLING, mining stock broker, 57 Broadway, Breece, from and spring Valley bought and

Financial.

A LL who are interested in railroad business and minese statistics should get THE TRIBUNE ALMANAC for 1880, now ready, price 25 cents by mail. BANKERS and CAPITALISTS will want to get the Tribane A manae for 1880; it gives the figures United States Revenue and Expenditure since 1875. Price, 25 cents by mail.

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THE NEW YORK ELEVATED RAILFOAD COMPANY. SECRETARY AND THEASURE'S OFFICE NO. 7 BROADWAY,

NOTICE. — THE REGULAR ANNUAL

meeting of the stockholders of this company for electing
thirteen directors to serve the ensuing year and for other
purposes, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 7
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THE MARIFOSA LAND AND MINING CO. OF CALIFORNIA. EXECUTIVE OFFICE, NOS. 9 AND 11 - ASSAU-SA.

THE TRUSTEES of this company have beying the preferred and common stock of this company, payable at this office on or before the preferred and common stock of this company, payable at this office on or before the preferred and common stock of this company, payable at this office on or before the preferred and common stock of this company, payable at this office on or before the preferred and inable to a charge of 43 on each certificate for advertising sale.

ROBERT CRAN FORD.

Assistant Secretary.

Assistant Secretary.

TO BONDHOLDERS of HOUSTON CITY,
TEXAS.
Holders of bones of the City of Houston, Texas, are requested to center in person or by letter with T. P. DOCEERY, agent of the City, Hoom 63, Drexel in Iding, corner of
Wad and Broad-six. New York, in reference to readjusting
and funding the bounded debt.

DANIEL A. MORAN,

27 Pine-St., New-York, MEMBER OF THE NEW-YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, BUY AND SELL ALL KINDS OF STOCK AND BONDS, WHETHER QUOTED AT THE "EXCHANGE" OR NOT.

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OF 598,900 SHARES OF 500 FRANCS EACH. According to terms of organization deposited with Mr. Champetier de fitnes, Notary Public in Paris, the

PANAMA CANAL COMPANY

will be organized with a capital of 300 millions of france, 600,000 shares of 500 francs.

10,000 shares that been reserved according to terms of organization for the original grantes, in consideration for expenses incurred and grants coiled by them to M. Ferdinant de Lesseps, the remaining 590,000 shares being offered to public subscription.

Conditions of the Subscription. THE SUBSCRIPTION PRICE IS PAR, 500 france per share, payable as f down:
20 france (\$1.80) on subscription.
100 france on alloument, to be made within thirty days from

date of emission. The remaining 375 francs will be subject to call, as may be teemed necessary by the Council of Administration, notice of winch will be published at least three months in advance. No year from the date of subscription.

After payment of 2.0 finites the shares can be exchanged for bonds by the consent of the stockbonders at a general

The owner of cach twenty shares will be entitled to one vote

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Interest at the rate of 5 per cent on all sums paid in will be cald during the progress of the work.
Eighly per cont of the net earnines will be distributed to the shareholders, according to the terms of organization.

The requirements for efficial quotation will be fulfilled seen the organization of the company.
THE PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION WILLIE OPENED IN EUROPE and AMERICA

on the 7th, 8th and 9th of December, 1880.

The distribution of shares subscribed will be made pro rata of the total subscriptions, without distinction of nationality. The following privileged subscriptions are not subject to

First-The shareholders and delegates of the Suez Canal Company have the privilege of subscribing to one Panama share for each stare or delegation of the Suez Canal Company Second - the original su scribers to the Panama Canal Com-pany have the privilege of subscribing for these Panami shares in proportion to their former subscription.

In order to avail themselves of this right, the privileges subscribers on paying the first 25 frames should present their

sucz Bonds or their certificates proving their original Pan ama Subscription, to the respective Backing Houses, SUBSCRIPTIONS will be received in PARIS by the

COMPAGNIE UNIVERSELLE DU CANAL DE SUEZ, COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE, SOCIETE DE DEPOTS ET DE COMPTES COURANTS, SOCIETE GENERALE POUR LE DEVELOPPEMENT DU COMMERCE ET DE DINDUSTRIE EN FRANCE BANQUE DE PARIS ET DES PAYS-BAS, CREDIT LYONNAIS, SOCIETE FINANCIERE DE PARIS,

BANQUE D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, and at all the offices of their branches and Inland and Foreign Correspondents.

Also, in ENGLAND, GERMANY, BELGIUM, HOLLAND, AUSTRIA, HUNGARIA, ITALY, RUSSIA, SPAIN, PORT-UGAL, SWITZERLAND, DENMARK, SWEDEN, NOR. WAY, TURKEY AND EGYPT, at the special houses des

THE COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION HAS AP-POINTED A SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN AMERICA TO REPRESENT THE COMPANY IN THIS EMISSION. UNDER THE AUTHORITY SO GIVEN THE UNDER-SIGNED WILL RECEIVE SUBSCRIPTIONS BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

MESSRS.

DREXEL, MORGAN & CO.,
J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO.,
WINSLOW, LANIER & CO.,
Committee. BEW-YORK CITY. Financial.

The Mercantile Trust COMPANY.

EQUITABLE BUILDING. 120 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS,

TWO AND ONE-QUARTER MILLIONS. CHARTERED 1868.

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LOUIS FITHGERALD, President,
HENRY A. HURLBUT, Vice President,
EDWD, LIVINGSTON MONTGOMERY, Treasurer,
BENNINGTON F. RANDOLPH, Sceretary.

Dividend Notices.

COUPONS of the EAST LINE and RED RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, due December 1, 1880, are payable at the Ninth National Bank, New York. ISSO, are payable at the Ninth National Bank, New York.

INDIANA, BLOOMINGTON and WESTERN
Hallway Co.—THREE PER CENT INTEREST for the
six months ensing December 31, 1880, will be paid upon the
lincome bonds of this company on and after January 4, 1881,
at the office of the Corbin Banking Company, 115 Broadway,
N.Y. Ronds must be presented for indorsement of sand
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OFFICE OF THE TORSON MILL
AND MINING COMPANY,
432 Walnut-st.
PRILADFUPHA, Penn., Nov. 30, 1880.

NINTH DIVIDEND.

The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared the regular monthly dividend of \$50,000; being ten cents on each share of the capillal stock of the Company; payable on and after December 15, at this office.

5, at this office.
Transfer books closed from 16th to 15th inclusive.
GEORGE BURNHAM, President.
W. J. CHEYNEY, Secretary.

EVENING STAR MINING COMPANY. Dec. 4, 1889. 5

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES of this Company nave declared a DIVIDEND (No. 4) of FIVE PER CENT on the capital stock, payable on December 10, at the office of Adams & McHarg. No. 33 Wallst.

The Transfer Books will close on the 7th inst. and open again on the 11th.

HENRY K. McHARG, Treasurer.

THE UNION PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.—A DIVIDEND of ONE AND ONE HALF
PER CENT on the capital stock of the Union
Pacific Railway Company will be paid on and after
15. 1880. New York stockholders will be hald at
the Union Trust Company. 73 Encadway, New York, and
Boston stockholders at the company to office, 44 Equitable
Roild nr. Boston. Boston stockholders at the company's olice, 4s Faditians. Stock Hooks will be closed Docember 15, 1889, and reopened. Stock Hooks will be closed Docember 15, 1889, and reopened. January 3, 1881. HENRY MCFARLAND, Treasurer. Boston, Dec. 4, 1880.

Business Chances.

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FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL VIA QUEENS FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL VIA GULENSTOWN.
FROM PIER NO. 40. NORTH RIVER.
SCYTHIA Wednesday, Dec. 8, 10 a. m.,
BATAVIA Wednesday, Dec. 15, 2330 p. ms.
GALLIA Wednesday, Dec. 22, 230 p. ms.
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(abia passage, \$60, \$80 and \$160; return tackets on favorable terms.
Siecrage t ckets to and frem all parts of Europe at very low
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Pier of Company (new) No. 42 North River, foot of Morton-st,
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Checks drawn on Credit Lyonnais, or Pars, in an analysis of Louis Die Beehlan, Ageal, No. 6 Bowing Green.

GUION LINE.

UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,
FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERFOOL,
Leaving Pier 38 N. R., foot of King 85.

ABYSSINIA. TUESDAY, Dec. 21, 8:30 a. in,
WYOMING. TUESDAY, Dec. 22, 22:30 p. in,
NEVADA. TUESDAY, Jun. 4, 8 a. in,
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CABIN. 8:00 Sen and \$100. Return bekets on layorable terms,
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